

Chapter 4.5

Personal protective equipment training

1. Applicability of this chapter

You are required to follow this chapter if you or your employees use personal protective equipment (PPE).

2. Description of Sub-element 4.5

Where PPE is required, employees are required to use it properly. The training shall be specific to the PPE the employees will be using and cover the following:

- a. When it is required and what PPE is necessary.
- b. Why it is required.
- c. Its limitations.
- d. How to use it properly.
- e. How to properly care for and maintain it.

3. PPE training

PPE training shall follow the requirements in Chapter 4.1 and cover the items mentioned in paragraph 2 above.

4. Responsibilities

As a *line manager*, you are responsible for making sure your employees have the necessary PPE training if PPE is required in their work areas.

5. Safety and health records

Organizational-level records of PPE training shall follow the requirements for training records in Chapter 4.1.